

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Carcy *et al.*
Serial No.: 10/563,601 (National Phase entry under 35 U.S.C. § 371 of
PCT/EP2004/051454, filed July 12, 2004)
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Examiner: Archie, Nina
For: Babesia Vaccines
Attorney Docket: I-2003.005 US

January 15, 2009

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop: Amendment
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Sir/Madam:

In reply to the Office Action issued August 20, 2008, please enter the amendments that follow:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 5.

Petition for Two Month Extension of Time

Applicants hereby petition for a two month extension of time for replying to the Office Action. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee for this extension to Deposit Account No. **02-2334**.